



City of Hallandale Beach

Parks, Recreation and Open Spaces

Advisory Board

400 S. Federal Highway
Hallandale Beach, FL 33009
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Chair, Howard Garson
Vice Chair, Vacant
Secretary, Vacant
Member Patricia Morning Lewis
Member, Karen Garson
Member, Moreen Klein
Member, Svitlana Cohen
Member, Michael Perez
Member, Gale Imprescia
Member Giovanna RaimondoLaRocca
Member, Gloria Stoner
Member, Sandra Forges

Liaison Michael Carabeo,
Superintendent
Parks, Recreation and Open Spaces
Director Cathie Schanz

Meeting Minutes

January 9, 2025

6:30pm

Cultural Community Center
Room 107
410 SE 3rd Street
Hallandale Beach, FL 33009

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:39pm by member Howard Garson.

2. ROLL CALL

Present: 6

Howard Garson, Chair

Karen Garson, Member

Gloria Stoner, Member

Patricia Morning Lewis, Member

Moreen Klein, Member

Michael Perez, Member

Liaison Present: Michael Carabeo, Parks, Recreation and Open Spaces
Superintendent.

(See Exhibit 1 attached hereto and made part hereof).

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

N/A

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. December 12, 2024

A motion was made by member Chair Howard Garson, seconded by member Michael Perez to approve the minutes of December 12, 2024, as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

6. BOARD/COMMITTEE BUSINESS

a. Old Business

- 1) GO Bond Update - Historical Village, Chaves Lake
 - A) Curcci House – Elevator, Gazebo pending
 - B) Chavez Lake – In design phase; alternate options

b. New Business

Appointment of Chair and Vice Chair
The meeting floor was opened for the members to nominate fellow board members for the position of Chair and Vice Chair. Unanimously the members appointed Michael Perez for Chair and Howard Garson for Vice Chair.

c. Other Business

d. Director's Report

- 1) MLK Day Event – January 20th at Foster Park – 10 to 12pm Info TBA 2) City Commission voted to rename Foster Park, Center and Plaza to:
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
Park Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr Dream Center Dr.
Martin Luther King, Jr. Dream Plaza

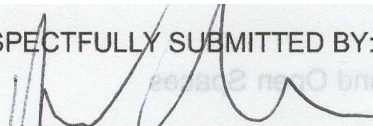
e. SCHEDULING OF NEXT MEETING

Cultural Community Center
Thursday, February 14, 2025
6:30pm

f. ADJOURN

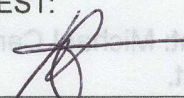
The meeting was adjourned at 7:36pm by Howard Garson

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED BY:



Howard Garson, CHAIR

ATTEST:



Vacant, SECRETARY
Michael Carabeo, LIAISON

2/13/25

ADOPTED DATE:

Exhibit 1

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

2025 Attendance

Member	January 9	February 13	March 13	April 10	May 8	June 12	July - 10	August - 14	September - 11	October 9	November - 13	December - 11
Michael Perez, Chair	X											
Haoward Garson, Vice Chair	X											
Gale Imprescia	A											
Gloria Stoner	X											
Patricia Morning Lewis	X											
Moreen Klein	X											
Sandra Forges	A											
Karen Garson	X											
Svitlana Cohen	A											
Giovanna RaimondoLaRocca	A											
X - Present, A = Absent, E = Excused Absence, L = Late												